

## GIA ĐÌNH HAỈ - QUÂN & HÀNG HẢI VICTORIA

## Vietnamese Navy Association in Victoria P.O.Box 138 Preston Victoria 3072

Melbourne 16th July 2014

To The Hon. Darren Chester MP,
Parliamentary Secretary for Defence,
Parliament House, Canberra ACT 2600.

Subject: Fred McLeod-Dryden Application 2012/016 for the" Vietnam Campaign Medal".

Dear Sir,

The Vietnamese Navy Association/Victoria held a general meeting at the RSL Footscray 48 Geelong Road Footscray Vic 3012 on 13<sup>th</sup> July 2014. All the members of the Vietnamese Navy Association in Victoria agreed that the HMAS Sydney and her personnel involved in the Vietnam's war should be awarded the Vietnam Campaign Medal that the Republic of South Vietnam Government has directed to the Australian government awards to the Australian Army, Navy and Air Force who has served in land, sea and air of the Republic of South Vietnam to protect its territory as instruction HT 655-430 Article 3.

Would you please reconsider the application of Mr. Fred McLeod-Dryden and HMAS Sydney 's personnel and itself be awarded the Vietnam Campaign Medal.

**Yours Respectfully** 

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